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Hongkong, November 6, 1911. 1435

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Hongkong, November 30, 1911. 1530

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SEASON, 1911-1912.

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December, 1911, at 5.30 p.m.
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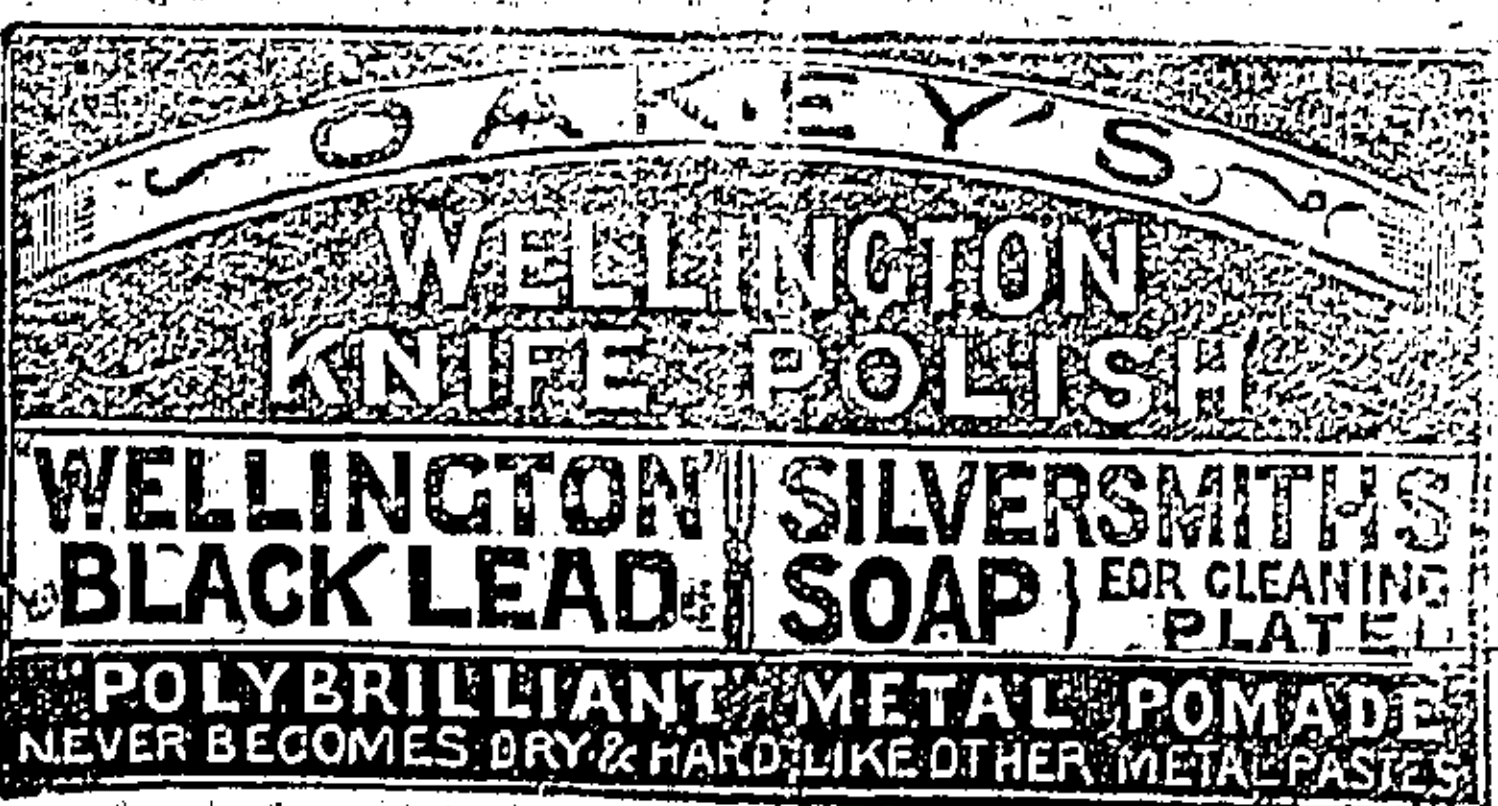
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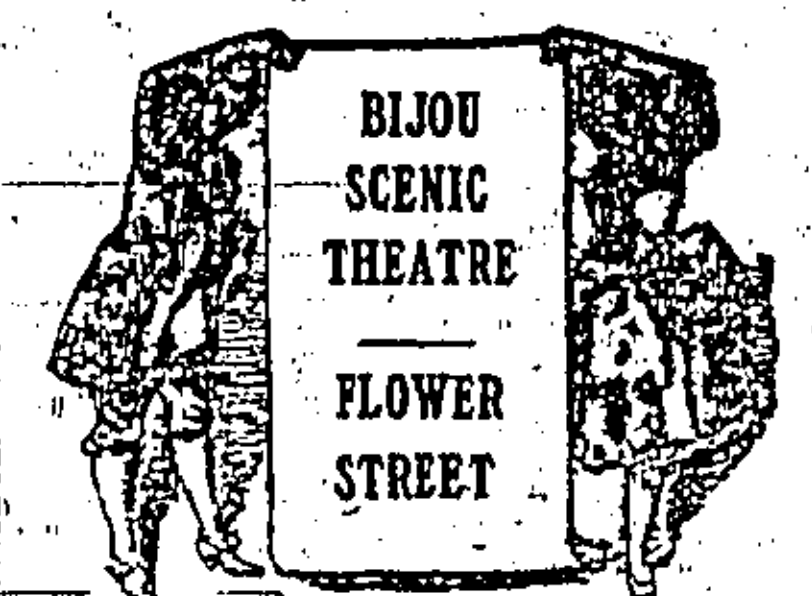
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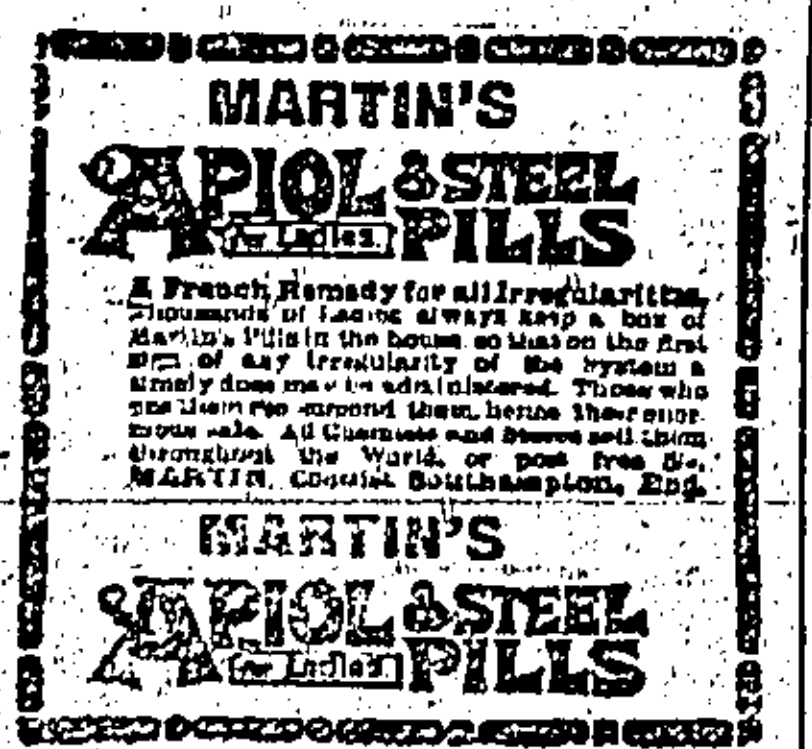
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Y. SHIBUYA,
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No. 2, PADON STREET
HONGKONG.
Hongkong, April 29, 1911. 816

NOTICE.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that the
SHUN TAI FIRM (順泰庄)
of Chefoo has closed owing Chinese and
Foreign debts to a big amount. The
Manager of the said Firm, LEUNG SIN
CHUN (梁善川) has fled to Hong-
kong and his property at Chefoo, compris-
ing one house in the West of Kwangtung
Street, one in the North of Siu Tai Ping
Street and one at Tung Shan, as well as
five acres of land, have already been seized
by the Commercial Community and will be
converted into cash and divided among
both Chinese and Foreign creditors. Both
Chinese and Foreign creditors are hereby
requested not to be deceived or have any
transactions with LEUNG SIN CHUN in
respect of the above mentioned property
in compromising their debts, so that com-
plications may be avoided.
THE COMMERCIAL COMMUNITY,
Chefoo.
Hongkong, December 2, 1911. 1541



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Hongkong, November 30, 1911. 1532

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3 yds., 3½ yds. and 4 yds., Turkish Towels,

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Tea Glass, Kitchen and Pantry Cloths,

Bed Valances, Tray Cloths, Down Quilts,

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A few lots of Fancy Jewellery, E.P.

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HUGHES & HOUGH,
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Hongkong, November 23, 1911. 1512

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc-

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Hongkong, December 2, 1911. 1542

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc-

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Auction,

on

THURSDAY and FRIDAY,

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Hongkong, December 1, 1911. 1540**GEO. P. LAMMERT**
AUCTIONEER.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to sell by Public Auction,

on

TUESDAY,

the 5th December, 1911, commencing at

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GEO. P. LAMMERT,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, December 2, 1911. 1543

ST. JON'S

CATHEDRAL.

5.30 p.m.

TUESDAY,

Dec. 5th.

Hongkong, November 23, 1911. 1518

NOTICE.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN
WHEREAS one P. F. FALK has
been circulating in Hongkong, Canton and
Kowloon business cards purporting to be
business cards of Messrs F. BLACK-
HEAD & Co., to the use of which business
cards he had no right whatsoever, and has
represented himself to be employed by that
firm, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by
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F. BLACKHEAD & Co., and that the
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tion with or responsibility for his acts or
agreements.

F. BLACKHEAD & CO.
Hongkong, November 23, 1911. 1525

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Subscribed Capital £2,814,815

Paid-up Capital £1,897,907 5 0

II—Fire Funds 3,842,215 4 2

III—Life & Annuity Funds 15,645,125 9 7

Sinking Fund Account 97,855 18 6

Revenue Fire Branch 2,373,289 17 7

Life & Annuity 1,954,631 9 2

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Alacrity	despatch-vessel	1700	12	2000	Comdr. Lowndes	Weihaiwei
Astrea	cruiser, 2nd class	4380	10	7000	Captain E. B. Kiddle	Singapore
Atlas	Admiralty tug	—	—	—	Master W. West	Hongkong
Bramble	river gunboat	710	2	900	Lt.-Comdr. B. G. Washington	Weihaiwei
Britomart	river gunboat	710	2	900	Lt.-Comdr. H. M. Barker	Shanghai
Cadmus	sloop	1070	6	1400	Comdr. H. Lynes	Hongkong
Cherub	water tank and tug	390	—	300	Master H. Smith	Hongkong
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Fame	torpedo boat destroyer	380	6	5700	Lt.-Comdr. H. S. Monroe	Weihaiwei
Flora	cruiser, 2nd class	4380	10	7000	Capt. J. Nicholas	Hongkong
Handy	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	Lt.-Comdr. Hon. Guy Stopford	Hongkong
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Kent	cruiser, 1st class	9000	14	22,000	Capt. S. St. John Farquhar	Hongkong
Kinsla	river gunboat	616	4	1200	Lt.-Comdr. T. J. S. Lyne	Yangtze
Morlin	sloop	1040	—	—	Comdr. B. O. M. Davy	Labuan
Minotaur	cruiser, 1st class	14,600	—	27,000	Capt. Cayley	Hongkong
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Moorthen	river gunboat	180	2	800	Lt.-Comdr. G. P. Leith	Canton
Newcastle	cruiser, 2nd class	4800	—	—	Capt. G. E. P. Hunt, D.S.O.	Weihaiwei
Nightingale	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lt.-Com. C. H. Woodward	Yangtze
Otter	torpedo boat destroyer	350	6	6300	Comdr. C. L. Lamb	Weihaiwei
Rosario	depot ship, submarines	980	—	1400	Lt.-Comdr. N. E. Archdale	Hongkong
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Saipa	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lt.-Comdr. Maurice B. Leslie	Yangtze
Taku	torpedo boat destroyer	350	6	6500	Gunner E. J. Trillo	Hongkong
Tamar	receiving ship	4850	6	—	Commodore C. J. Eyles	Hongkong
Teal	river gunboat	180	2	800	Lt.-Comdr. R. J. Buchanan	Yangtze
Thistle	river gunboat	710	2	900	Lt.-Comdr. M. B. Hamilton	Shanghai
Virage	torpedo boat destroyer	355	6	6300	Lt.-Com. H. D. Adair-Hall	Weihaiwei
Waterwitch	surveying ship	620	—	450	Lt.-Comdr. Hancock	Singapore
Whiting	torpedo boat destroyer	380	6	5900	Lt.-Comdr. G. B. Hartford	Weihaiwei
Widgeon	river gunboat	195	2	800	Lt.-Com. B. R. Brooke	Yangtze
Woodcock	river gunboat	180	2	800	Com. M. H. Wilding	Upper Yangtze
Woodlark	river gunboat	150	2	600	Lt.-Comdr. G. F. A. Mulock	Upper Yangtze
37	submarine	—	—	—	Lt. C. Godfrey Herbert	Hongkong
38	submarine	—	—	—	Lt.-Comdr. A. A. L. Fenner	Hongkong
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Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station

Name.	Flag and description.	Tons.	Guns.	I.H.P.	Captain.	Last report at
Kaiser Franz Joseph I.	Austro-Hungarian cruiser	4000	—	—	Capt. Alfred Cicol	Amoy
Dupleix	French armoured cruiser	10,014	30	—	Capt. Alfred Cicol	Amoy
Kleber	French 1st class cruiser	9700	12	30,000	—	Sai
Decidie	French gunboat	645	10	19,800	—	Sai
Argus	French river gunboat	180	6	1700	Lieut. de Linares	Sai
Vigilante	French gunboat	123	7	570	Lieut. de Linares	Canton
Palao	French gunboat	130	—	—	Lieut. de Linares	Tongku
Flagship of Rear-Admiral Colloch de Kerillis, Commander-in-Chief, the French China Station.						
Esturgeon	French sub-marine	—	—	—	Lieut. Combet	Saigon
Lynx	French sub-marine	—	—	—	Lieut. Marrs	Saigon
Perle	French sub-marine	600	—	—	—	Saigon
Protee	French sub-marine	—	—	—	Lieut. Morris	Saigon
Styx	French armoured gunboat	1788	10	1700	Lieut. Seriot	Saigon
Fronde	French destroyer	350	7	303	—	Saigon
d'Iberville	French destroyer	—	—	—	—	Saigon (Reserve)
Takou	French destroyer	250	9	—	—	Saigon
Pistolet	French destroyer	130	7	300	Comdr. Mortenol	Hongay
Mousquet	French destroyer	307	6	300	Lieut. de la Roche Remondron	Saigon
Vanban	French torpedo-depot	—	—	—	—	Hongay
Veteran	French torpedo-depot	—	—	—	Lieut. Bihel	Cap St. Jacques
Manche	French surveying-ship	1825	10	3000	Comdr. Ragot de Toucho	Saigon
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Euden	German cruiser	3600	22	13,500	Capt. Vollerthun	Tientsin
Gaussenau	German armoured cruiser	11,600	36	26,000	Captain v. Calar	Tientsin
Ilia	German gunboat	900	12	1300	Comdr. Meismann	Shanghai</

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

Hope deferred maketh the heart sick. We had hoped to have been through the worst of our troubles to-day, but the foolish conspirators and machine men still remain out on strike.

Last week there were nine cases of small-pox notified in the Colony, eight being fatal. All were Chinese and one was imported. There were three fatal cases of diphtheria (two Chinese and one Indian) and one non-fatal occurrence of enteric fever (Chinese).

The Rev. C. Silvester Horne, Liberal M.P. for Ipswich, has secured a verdict for £1,100 damages against John Bull and Mrs. Bull for having published libels stating that he had blasphemously bracketed Mr. Asquith with God and Right in a hymn sung at a Thanksgiving service after the last general election.

On the arrival of the s.s. On Lee from Kowloon a Chinaman was observed by the police carrying a canvas bag, the appearance of which seemed suspicious. When the man observed that he was being watched he dropped the bag and endeavored to escape. He was arrested, however, and the bag on being opened was found to contain nine modern revolvers and two rifles. At the Magistracy to-day Mr. E. A. Irving sentenced the man to six weeks' imprisonment in lieu of payment of \$200 fine, adding six strokes of the "cat" to boot.

THE REVOLUTION.

Hongkong Troops Leaving for North.

In view of the continued unsettled state of affairs in the North it has been deemed advisable to despatch a body of troops to Shanghai from Hongkong, presumably to be ready for movement to some of the more disturbed centres should the desirability make itself felt.

Accordingly there leaves to-morrow by one of Jardine's steamers one Company of the R.O.Y.L.I., 25 men of the Royal Garrison Artillery, 20 Royal Engineers and seven other units.

VOLUNTEERS CALLED OUT.

To Guard Headquarters.

It has long been a source of dissatisfaction in Volunteer circles that with the garrison stationed in Hongkong the Volunteers have been completely overshadowed when any local trouble has arisen and they have not been called out as is their due in most places where no military are stationed, and as is frequently the case in Shanghai. It is also thought that this is a measure responsible for the smallness of the number of those who join the local corps. Happily the services of the garrison or the Volunteers have been rarely requisitioned in the Colony for many years, but now with the trouble in China an opportunity has been offered to the corps, if not to distinguish themselves, to at least take part in the work for which they have been specially trained. The condition and physique of the men, coming almost straight from the annual camp, can be said to be at its best so that the extra duties imposed upon them of guarding their own Headquarters at night will be cheerfully borne by the respective guards. The sentries take up their positions from to-night commencing with No. 1 Company, which will be subsequently relieved by the other companies, so that if it is imperative that the guard should be continued each man will have his allotted share as night guard.

CLAIM FOR ACCOUNTS.

At the Supreme Court this morning, before the Chief Justice, Sir Francis Pigott, the Fook Lung firm sued the Yan Wo firm and Chan Kit Shan for an account to be taken.

Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C., and the Hon. Mr. C. C. Alabaster, appeared for plaintiffs, instructed by Mr. C. E. H. Casias; and Mr. M. W. Slade, K.C., appeared for defendants, instructed by Mr. A. W. Tolborow.

The claim was that an account be taken of the amount due to the Fook Lung firm from defendants in respect to the share in the defendant firm belonging to the Fook Lung firm. Plaintiffs also claimed that an account be taken of the monies had and received by the defendant firm for the use of plaintiffs in respect of a license to use plaintiffs' trade mark, or in the alternative plaintiffs claimed payment from the defendant firm of the sum of \$10,000, due and payable to them by defendant firm as money received for the use of plaintiffs in respect of the trade mark; the appointment of a receiver; the payment of such monies as may be found due to the Fook Lung firm; and the taking of the accounts, an injunction to restrain the defendant firm and Chan Kit Shan from selling or otherwise disposing of the property of the defendant firm including its leasehold property, being inland Lot No. 1,239, and from removing the business books, shops and other documents from the business premises of the defendant firm situate at No. 159, Bonham Street and No. 2A, Claverty Street; further and other relief and costs of the actions.

Hon. Mr. Pollock said that the Yan Wo firm did a large business in opium both in Hongkong and Macao. On the face of the pleadings he submitted that he was entitled to judgment.

His Lordship said that point decided in Chambers.

Mr. Pollock said that the Yan Wo firm had gone beyond the region of summary judgment, because there had been a statement of claim filed.

His Lordship made an order for an account to be taken against the defendants with the exception of Chan Kit Shan. A stay of execution for fourteen days was granted.

BY TELEGRAPH.

[Continued.]

FIGHTING AT TRIPOLI.

ITALIAN SUCCESSES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, December 2.
The Italians at Tripoli drove off a considerable force of Turkish regulars and Arabs at the point of the bayonet. The Artillery shelled the fugitives. The Italian casualties were eight killed and 17 wounded. The Turkish losses were heavy.

TURKS AND ARABS
REPULSED.

LONDON, Dec. 4.

A thousand Turks and Arabs attacked Derna, but were repulsed by the Italian artillery.

HUNTING FIELD MISHAP.

M.P. INJURED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, December 2.
Sir Randolph Baker, the Conservative M.P. for North Dorset, while hunting, was thrown from his horse and kicked. He sustained a slight concussion of the brain.

AN ILL-FATED FAMILY.

MARQUIS OF WATERFORD
DROWNED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 3.
The Marquis of Waterford has been found drowned in the River Clodiagh near his residence at Curraghmore. The Marquis returned from hunting, paid his customary visit to the kennels before dinner, and then disappeared. After a night-long search his body was found next day in the swollen river between the kennels and the house. The night was a very dark one.

LATER.

The coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death.
The deceased's father and grandfather met violent deaths as the result of accidents in the hunting field.

ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN
CRICKET.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 3.
In hot sunny weather, tempered by a breeze, the M.C.C. resumed their match against Queensland at Brisbane. The wicket was perfect. There was an attendance of 7,000. Marylebone's innings yielded 275 runs, of which Mead scored 79 and Rhodes 64 not out. In their second innings Queensland scored 55 for the loss of two wickets.

STRAIGHT TALK.

LIBERAL GOVERNMENT
DENOUNCED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 3.
Lord Lansdowne and Mr. Austen Chamberlain were the chief speakers at a Unionist demonstration at Derby. Lord Lansdowne said that with the constitution broken up and public money scattered lavishly, with the most numerous and most arrogant bureaucracy ever known, the Government was starting on a frenzied career of revolutionary legislation. The Unionists, however, were determined to preserve the union with Ireland and to re-establish the constitution.

BY TELEGRAPH.

[Continued.]

ENGLISH CRICKETERS.

ANOTHER PLAYER DISABLED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, Dec. 3.
Reuter's Brisbane correspondent wires that Elitch, one of the English cricketers, is in bed suffering from a severe strain of the groin and will be unable to play in the match against an Australian Eleven on the 8th inst at Brisbane.

NAVAL COMPETITION.

CAN BRITAIN STAND
THE STRAIN?

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 3.
Reuter's Berlin correspondent states that the influential Conservative organ, the Post, opines that Britain, and not Germany, has reached the end of the tether in the matter of naval construction, and questions whether Britain is able to carry out the principle of two keels to one if Germany should lay down five capital ships yearly, without enlisting foreigners or resorting to conscription.

CONGO REFORMS.

A SEVERE INDICTMENT.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 3.
Reuter's correspondent at Brussels says the Socialist leader M. Vandervelde has introduced a Bill in the Chamber providing for a Parliamentary enquiry into the question of the enforcement of reforms in the Congo.

M. Vandervelde has published a statement in which he formidably indicates the manner of carrying out of the reforms. He declares that the laws are largely administered and that irregularities of Catholic Missions, including the flogging of natives and the manufacture of liquors, go unpunished.

THE GERMAN NAVY.

HUGE VOTE CONTEMPLATED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 3.
It is rumoured in Berlin that the Reichstag will be asked to vote £18,000,000 for naval expenditure, the sum to be spread over a period of six years.

OBITUARY.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, December 2.
The death has occurred of Sir Henry Harben, President of the Prudential Assurance Company.

The Marquis of Anglesey, Sir James Bevan Edwards, Sir Cornthwaite Rason, Mr. Ben Morlan, and Dr. Harvey Hilliard, have raised £18,000 to erect in Vincent-square a well-equipped Imperial hospital to provide for patients from the Overseas Dominions and English provinces at moderate charges and afford more adequate facilities for operations than can be secured in private nursing homes. Special consideration will be afforded patients recommended by the Agents-General. Forty beds will be provided at the outset.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

THE REVOLUTION.

REBELS GOING STRONG.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, December 2.
Reuter's correspondent at Peking states that the revolutionaries have captured the hills commanding Nanking. The Government fears that if the city falls the rebels will march on Tientsin and Peking.

AUSTRIAN FORCE MAY LAND.

London, December 2.
The commander of the Austrian cruiser "Kaiser Franz Josef" has been authorized to land one hundred men to reinforce the Legation Guard at Peking if the Austrian Minister so desires.

NANKING SURRENDERS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
SHANGHAI, Dec. 2.
Nanking surrendered today.
His Excellency the Viceroy and the Tartar General have taken refuge on a Japanese gunboat.
General Chang Hsun has disappeared.
The white flag is in evidence everywhere inside the city.

BRITAIN AND GERMANY.

FURTHER EXPLANATIONS TO COME.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, December 3.
Reuter's correspondent at Berlin states that the official organ, the "Norddeutsche," which has hitherto been silent regarding Sir Edward Grey's speech, states to-day that it prefers to wait supplementary explanations in the next Reichstag debate on the Agreement before commenting on Sir Edward Grey's attempt to justify British doubts of German assurances as to her intentions in Morocco.

THE DURBAR.

BRILLIANT SCENE AT BOMBAY.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, December 3.
The "Medina" arrived at Bombay yesterday in brilliant sunshine. The beautiful harbour was alive with decorated shipping, and the enthusiasm displayed was the most memorable in the history of royal visits.
The Viceroy and other officials welcomed Their Majesties, who landed during the afternoon and proceeded through vast crowds along the brilliantly decorated streets. They circled the city and then returned to the "Medina."

THE NAVAL CHANGES.

LORD CHARLES BERESFORD'S VIEWS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, December 3.
Lord Charles Beresford speaking at Portsmouth said he was glad that the new Admiralty Board was going to have a war staff and when it was created he would sit still about the Navy. The drastic changes in the Admiralty were all due to the Anglo-German crisis.

HOME POLITICS.

THE FRONT OPPOSITION BENCH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, Dec. 3.
Mr. Bonar Law has invited Mr. F. E. Smith to a seat on the front Opposition Bench.

LORDS STILL ACTIVE.

London, December 2.
The "Daily Telegraph" understands that the House of Lords will pass the Insurance Bill without amendment, thus declining responsibility for any delays while accepting the principle. They will reject the Naval Fund Bill embodying the principle of the Declaration of London, on the ground that the measure is of so vital importance to the Empire that it cannot be rushed through at the end of the session.

WRESTLING.

THE WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, Dec. 3.
Reuter's correspondent at Kansas City states that a match for the world's wrestling championship, catch-as-catch-can style, has been arranged for December 27, between Alex. Munro, of England, and Frank Gotch, of America, for a purse of ten thousand dollars.

THE PERSIAN TROUBLE.

THREE ASSASSINATIONS REPORTED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, December 3.
Reuter's Tehran correspondent states that Hadji Mowdading, a reactionary, was assassinated yesterday morning. It is reported that Prince Firman Firman was assassinated at Kermanshah.
Masoud Dowleh, a former opponent of the Constitutional movement, has been assassinated.

BY TELEGRAPH.

THE REVOLUTION.

CRUISERS LEAVE FOR HUPPEH.

(Wah Ten Yut Po's Service.)
SHANGHAI, Dec. 3.
After the recapture of Nanking by the Revolutionists four cruisers left for Huppeh to assist the Rebels there.

SUBSCRIPTIONS RAISED.

On Saturday Chang Tak Chum, President of Kiangsu, and formerly Governor of Kiangsu, called a meeting at the Cheong Gardens with a view to the raising of subscriptions for the Revolution.
Wong Hing, Chief of the Rebel army, was present and at the conclusion of the meeting the subscriptions collected were handed to him.

On Sunday General Lai Yuan Hing sent 8,000 soldiers to Yuen Lau, a place about thirty miles east of Wuchang, in order to intercept communication between the Imperialists at Wuchang and Hanyang.

INDEPENDENCE RENOUNCED.

(Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail.)
TOKYO, Dec. 4.
The Governor of Shantung has withdrawn the declared independence of the Province, and the Peking Government has been pleased to retain his services in spite of his disloyal conduct.

GERMANS KILLED IN BATTLE.

It is reported that two Germans were found killed and two wounded after the battle of Hanyang.
A Colonel of the German Army was also among the wounded.

THE DURBAR.

ROYALTY ATTEND CATHEDRAL.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, Dec. 4.
Reuter's Bombay correspondent wires that Their Majesties the King and Queen landed yesterday and lunched at Government House.
The Royal party attended service at the Cathedral in the evening.

FIRE IN CORONATION CAMP.

Reuter's correspondent at Delhi cables that a fire broke out in the Coronation camp owing to the fusing of an electric wire.
The fire ruined the camp of the Lieutenant Governor of Punjab, destroying five of the main reception and dining rooms and tents.

THE LOS ANGELES OUTRAGES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, Dec. 3.
Reuter's correspondent at Los Angeles cables that James McNamara has pleaded guilty to the murder of one of the 21 victims of the dynamite explosion at the "Los Angeles Times" Office in October last year. His brother John McNamara pleaded guilty to destroying the Llewellyn ironworks.

SENSATIONAL CONFESSIONS.

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The sentences were deferred.
Mr. Gompers, President of the Labor Federation, was astonished at the confession. He said the McNamara had imposed upon the credulity of Laborites, who had collected thousands of dollars for their defence.

SUFFRAGETTE RELEASED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, Dec. 4.
Mrs. Potthick Lawrence, who was sent to prison for a month for taking part in the Suffragette demonstration in Parliament Square recently, has been released on bail pending a trial with regard to the legality of the conviction.

A VIENNA SENSATION.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, Dec. 3.
The retirement of General Heintzen, the Chief of the General Staff of the Austrian Army, has caused a sensation in Vienna. His action is ascribed to differences with Baron Aehrenthal, Minister for Foreign Affairs, the General insisting on "extensive military measures on the Italian frontier in view of the war in Tripoli."

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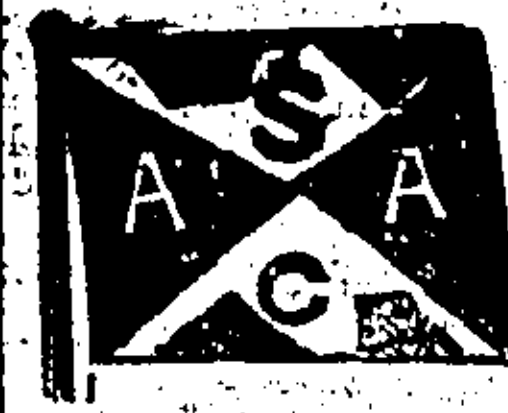
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship LINE.

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Having arrived, Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk in the Godowns and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon and West Point Godowns, whose delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 7th of December will be subject to sale.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 7th of December, at 2.30 a.m.

All claims must reach us before the 12th of December, 1911, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Underwriter.

This steamer brings up cargo:

Ex s.s. Therapia from Smyrna.

Ex s.s. Orontes from Yanco.

Ex s.s. Barbary from Yanco.

Ex s.s. Anadolou from Zanzibar.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

MELCHERS & CO.

General Agents.

Hongkong, November 30, 1911.

BEN LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP BENVOULON.

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CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, whose delivery may be obtained from the wharf delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 7th Dec. will be subject to sale.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 14th Dec. or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 7th Dec. at 11 a.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.

Agents.

Hongkong, November 30, 1911.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM EUROPE COLOMBO, AND STRAITIS.

THE s.s. Monmouth having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., whose delivery may be obtained from the wharf delivery may be obtained.

Goods not cleared by the 6th Dec. at 2 p.m. will be subject to sale.

All broken, chafed and damaged packages are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on TUESDAY, 5th Dec., at 10 a.m. Claims against the steamer must be presented within 10 days of arrival otherwise they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.

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